

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 249

By Crider

A RESOLUTION to recognize Bobby Joe McCartney, Bradford Special School District Superintendent, on the occasion of his retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of industry and who have done their part to enrich the lives of the youth of our State and nation; and

WHEREAS, Bobby Joe McCartney is one such estimable educator who has served with distinction for more than thirty years as Bradford Special School District Superintendent; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McCartney will be taking a much deserved retirement in June of this year after forty-nine years working in education; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McCartney is known for his fairness and compassion, always having an open door for his students, faculty, staff, and the community; and

WHEREAS, during Mr. McCartney's tenure, Bradford was able to become a special school district in no small part due to his support; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McCartney is an active and important part of his community and his profession, participating in numerous worthy organizations; and

WHEREAS, Bobby Joe McCartney exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout his estimable career, Bobby Joe McCartney has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of his colleagues; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we extend to Bobby Joe McCartney, Bradford Special School District

Superintendent, our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.